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IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR THE THIRD
DECADE TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

Letter dated 25 March 1996 from the Permanent Representative
of Turkey to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to
the Chairman of the Commission on Human Rights

In paragraph 23 of the report of Mr. Maurice Glélé-Ahanhanzo,
Special Rapporteur on contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination,
xenophobia and related intolerance of the Commission on Human Rights
(E/CN.4/1996/72), it is stated that the Turkish nationality law does not allow
dual nationality.

This statement constitutes a factual error, since the Turkish Nationality
Law in force does in fact allow dual nationality to Turkish citizens.

I, therefore, felt it necessary to have this error corrected.

I should be grateful to you if this letter is circulated as an official
document of the current session of the Commission on Human Rights, under
item 12 of the agenda.

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